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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
UNS ELECTRIC, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE
OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY
FOR THE VAIL TO VALENCIA 115 KV TO
138 KV TRANSMISSION LINE UPGRADE
PROJECT, ORIGINATING AT THE EXISTING
VAIL SUBSTATION IN SEC. 4, T.16S., R.15E.,
PIMA COUNTY, TO THE EXISTING
VALENCIA SUBSTATION IN SEC. 5, T. 24S.,
R.14E., IN THE CITY OF NOGALES, SANTA
CRUZ COUNTY, ARIZONA.

Docket No. L-00000F-09-0190-00144

Case No. 144

NOTICE OF FILING

Pursuant to Decision No. 71282 (October 7, 2009), UNS Electric, Inc. hereby files its
report on the status of the Citizens Advisory Council in compliance with Condition No. 26.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 11th day of February 2011.

UNS Electric, Inc.

By

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By Mary Appolito

Citizens Advisory Council Report

Report on Citizens Advisory Council Meeting held April 1, 2010

On April 1, 2010 UNS Electric ("UNSE") held an initial meeting at the Canoa Hills Social Center in Green Valley, Arizona regarding the formation of a voluntary Citizens Advisory Council ("CAC") to provide input related to the Vail to Valencia 115kV to 138kV Transmission Line Upgrade Project ("Project"). The initial meeting was held pursuant to Condition No. 26 of the CEC granted to UNSE in Siting Case No. 144 (Decision No. 71282). The notice for the meeting (see Attachment 1) was sent out to parties of record in the case and filed with ACC Docket Control. Nine non-utility individuals attended the meeting (see Attachment 2).

At the meeting Ed Beck on behalf of UNSE provided the roles and responsibilities of UNSE as well as the CAC. He also provided an overview of the Project. Ron Belval from TEP reviewed other existing regional planning efforts and encouraged attendees to participate in those processes as well. The floor was then opened for discussion and the attendees were asked if they had an interest in forming a CAC and that UNSE would be available to support the group with information if they chose to develop a CAC. After some general discussion the attendees indicated that they would like to discuss amongst themselves the idea of the CAC. Before that took place a suggestion was made that because there were two divergent groups in the room, those with interest in issues on the northern end of the Project and those with interest on the southern end of the Project it might be worthwhile to split into CAC-North and CAC-South groups.

UNSE suggested that one area it would like to have feedback from a CAC on was how to improve its public outreach process. Two opinions were expressed by individuals; one indicated that he was very pleased with the UNSE outreach effort, while another indicated he was dissatisfied with the effort.

The attendees then broke into their two geographic groups and discussed next steps. The northern group will initially be chaired by Elizabeth Webb and was seeking to have its first meeting in May in the Corona de Tucson area. The southern group will initially be chaired by Marshall Magruder and will hold a meeting in the Tubac or Rio Rico area.

The northern group identified a few areas that they would like to discuss in the future: a bigger picture view of future transmission needs, discussion of ten-year plans, and the possibility of including SWTCo in discussions.

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The southern group was interested in seeing preliminary pole locations for the Project, a project schedule for the entire Project, and a discussion of distribution collocation on the upgraded transmission. On May 6, 2010 UNSE was notified that the northern group would hold their first meeting at the Rincon Valley Fire Dept. Station #2 at Interstate 10 and hwy 83 on May 27th at 6:00p.m. The southern group has not contacted UNSE with any updates regarding its next meeting.

ATTACHMENT 1

Report on Citizens Advisory Council Meeting held April 1, 2010



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March 11, 2010

NOTICE OF CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

On April 21, 2009, UNS Electric, Inc. ("UNS Electric") filed an Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility ("CEC") to authorize the Vail to Valencia 115 kV to 138 kV Transmission Line Upgrade Project (the "Project") in Pima and Santa Cruz Counties, Arizona. On October 7th, 2009, the Arizona Corporation Commission ("ACC") issued a decision approving the Project (see map of approved route on project website listed below). Pursuant to the ACC's decision, UNS Electric is forming a voluntary Citizens Advisory Council ("CAC") to provide input related to the project.

Notice of the initial meeting regarding the CAC is hereby provided. The initial meeting to discuss the formation of the CAC will be held at the:

Canoa Hills Social Center, Saguaro Room,
3660 South Camino del Sol
Green Valley, AZ 85622

(I-19, exit 63, west on Continental Road, south on Camino Del Sol to address) at 2:00 p.m. on April 1, 2010.

Copies of the documents filed in this matter are available on the Commission's website (www.azcc.gov) using the eDocket function (Docket No. L-00000F-09-0190-00144). The documents are also available at the Commission's Docket Control office during regular business hours at 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona. Further, the Project website can be found at:

<http://uesaz.com/Company/News/VailValencia.asp>.

Should you have any questions, or if you are interested in participating in the CAC but cannot make this initial meeting, please contact the undersigned at (520) 884-3615.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ed Beck". The signature is stylized, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Ed Beck



Agenda
Citizens Advisory Council
ACC Case number 144
Vail to Valencia 115 kV to 138 kV Transmission Line
Upgrade Project
2:00 pm April 1, 2010

Canoa Hills Social Center, Saguaro Room
3660 South Camino del Sol
Green Valley, AZ 85622

- I.** Background discussion of the Citizens Advisory Council.
- II.** Formation of the CAC.
- III.** Process for Council input.

ATTACHMENT 2

Report on Citizens Advisory Council Meeting held April 1, 2010

CAC Sign In Sheet:

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